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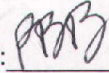
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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

March 28, 2011

Reviewed: 

Mine Name: RDS 502
Operator Name: West Desert Granite L.C.

Permit number: M0230067
Inspection Date: 03/24/2011
Time: 12:30-1:00 PM

Inspector(s): Wayne Western,
Other Participants: None
Mine Status: Ina

Weather: Overcast skies cool

Elements of Inspection	Evaluated	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds, Permit Fees	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Deleterious Material	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Concurrent Reclamation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Soils	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Revegetation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Purpose of Inspection:

The purpose of the inspection was to conduct an annual inspection of a large mine.

Inspection Summary:

The RDS mine is inactive. The Permittee posted a bond for \$33,250. The Permittee stated in the 2011 annual reports that no activities had occurred at the site.

The inspectors did not find any evidence that mining or reclamation activities had recently taken place. There are some small trenches that were dug to access the granite and there are boulders that have been split.

There are mounds of soil that appear to be stockpiled topsoil. There are no signs of erosion. The site appears to be stable.

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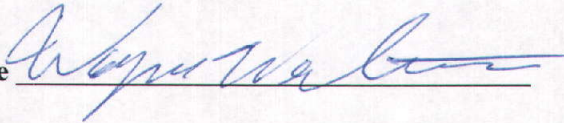
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Conclusions and Recommendations:

The Division should continue to inspect the site.

Inspector's Signature

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Directions:

Directions to Site: West of the Delta power plant in the Desert Mountains

Go the Delta power plant, turn right, and head to Desert Mountain where the mine sits on the South side of the mountain.

The site can also be accessed by going on the Weis highway (well maintained dirt road) and turning south on the Desert Mountain Road. Mine is east of the Desert Mountain Road and can be seen from the road.

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CC: Jerry Mansfield, BLM

George Finnegan

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Looking west from the site. Boulders from mining activities

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Over view to the site. Some cut stone on the site.